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interruption, whereby a crack forming in said solder is  
influenced to proceed along said interface with a non-planar,  
interrupted path, thereby lengthening its travel, and  
preventing failure of said solder joint.--

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 8, line 9: after the word boundary, please  
insert -- 15a --.

In the Drawings:

Please correct FIGURE 4, element 15, by the addition of  
the letter "a" thereto.

Corrections to FIGURES 3a and 4, showing the  
intermetallic layer, will be submitted under separate letter.